IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

: Confirmation No.: 6004

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For: APPARATUS, METHOD AND)
PROGRAM FOR FORMULATING :
AND SOLVING PROBLEMS)

OVER A NETWORK : June 11, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 23313-1450

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2007, to and including Monday, June 11, 2007. The extension fee of \$1020.00 is being paid concurrently. Please charge any additional fee required (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account 06-1205.

In response to that Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows: Amendments to the claims are presented in the listing starting on page 2. and Remarks begin on page 15.